## **SNAPSHOT** of HOME Program Performance--As of 12/31/10 Local Participating Jurisdictions with Rental Production Activities



Participating Jurisdiction (PJ): Lowell State: MA

PJ's Total HOME Allocation Received: \$19,491,450 PJ's Size Grouping\*: B PJ Since (FY): 1992

					Nat'l Ranking (Percentile):*	
Category	PJ	State Average	State Rank	Nat'l Average	Group B	Overall
Program Progress:			PJs in State: 19			
% of Funds Committed	100.00 %	98.07 %	1	96.48 %	100	100
% of Funds Disbursed	95.99 %	93.46 %	4	89.00 %	87	84
Leveraging Ratio for Rental Activities	1.33	8.28	18	4.81	15	19
% of Completed Rental Disbursements to All Rental Commitments***	98.21 %	92.50 %	8	83.25 %	62	54
% of Completed CHDO Disbursements to All CHDO Reservations***	90.02 %	76.94 %	3	70.99 %	87	85
Low-Income Benefit:						
% of 0-50% AMI Renters to All Renters	89.43 %	82.18 %	7	81.75 %	71	67
% of 0-30% AMI Renters to AII Renters***	64.65 %	51.37 %	6	45.84 %	84	82
Lease-Up:						
% of Occupied Rental Units to All Completed Rental Units***	98.19 %	97.78 %	14	96.12 %	39	40
Overall Ranking:		In S	tate: 8 / 19	Nation	nally: 75	78
HOME Cost Per Unit and Number of Completed	l Units:					
Rental Unit	\$29,504	\$28,167		\$27,889	331 Units	25.30
Homebuyer Unit	\$9,347	\$16,610		\$15,632	828 Units	63.40
Homeowner-Rehab Unit	\$22,675	\$15,715		\$21,037	106 Units	8.10
TBRA Unit	\$2,551	\$4,145		\$3,206	41 Units	3.10

<sup>\* -</sup> A = PJ's Annual Allocation is greater than or equal to \$3.5 million (59 PJs)

Source: Data entered by HOME Participating Jurisdictions into HUD's Integrated Disbursement and Information System (IDIS)

B = PJ's Annual Allocation is less than \$3.5 million and greater than or equal to \$1 million (216 PJs)

C = PJ's Annual Allocation is less than \$1 million (284 PJs)

<sup>\*\* -</sup> E.g., a percentile rank of 70 means that the performance exceeds that of 70% of PJs.

<sup>\*\*\*-</sup> This category is double-weighted in compiling both the State Overall Ranking and the National Overall Ranking of each PJ.

## **Program and Beneficiary Characteristics for Completed Units** MA Participating Jurisdiction (PJ): Lowell **Total Development Costs:** Rental Homebuyer Homeowner **CHDO Operating Expenses:** PJ: 0.3 % (average reported cost per unit in (% of allocation) 1.2 % **National Avg:** PJ: \$53,985 \$87,364 \$26,266 HOME-assisted projects) \$105,212 \$155,501 \$23,795 State:\* R.S. Means Cost Index: 1.12 National:\*\* \$99,461 \$78,568 \$23,907

	Rental	•	Homeowner	TBRA			Homebuyer	Homeowner	TBRA
RACE:	%	%	<u></u>	<b>%</b>	HOUSEHOLD TYPE:	%	%	%	%
White:	56.0	51.0	56.2	50.0	Single/Non-Elderly:	35.4	25.7	18.1	50.0
Black/African American:	6.5	9.3	13.3	0.0	Elderly:	22.2	3.3	19.0	0.0
Asian:	3.4	4.7	7.6	0.0	Related/Single Parent:	32.0	24.9	18.1	50.0
American Indian/Alaska Native:	0.3	2.7	0.0	0.0	Related/Two Parent:	7.1	41.9	41.0	0.0
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Other:	3.4	3.6	1.0	0.0
American Indian/Alaska Native and White:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0					
Asian and White:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0					
Black/African American and White:	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0					
American Indian/Alaska Native and Black:	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0					
Other Multi Racial:	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0					
Asian/Pacific Islander:	2.2	8.1	4.8	0.0					
ETHNICITY:									
Hispanic	30.8	23.6	15.2	50.0					
HOUSEHOLD SIZE:					SUPPLEMENTAL RENTAL A	ASSISTAN	-		
1 Person:	47.1	21.0	14.3	50.0	Section 8:	28.6	3.3	:	
2 Persons:	20.9	14.5	19.0	50.0	HOME TBRA:	3.7	7		
3 Persons:	16.3	22.5	23.8	0.0	Other:	40.9	9		
4 Persons:	6.5	19.7	21.0	0.0	No Assistance:	26.8	3		
5 Persons:	5.5	13.6	12.4	0.0					
6 Persons:	2.5	5.1	5.7	0.0					
7 Persons:	0.9	2.3	0.0	0.0					
8 or more Persons:	0.3	0.8	1.0	0.0	# of Section 504 Compliant	Units / Co	mpleted Un	its Since 200	<b>1</b> 71

<sup>\*</sup> The State average includes all local and the State PJs within that state



<sup>\*\*</sup> The National average includes all local and State PJs, and Insular Areas

<sup>#</sup> Section 8 vouchers can be used for First-Time Homebuyer Downpayment Assistance.

## — HOME PROGRAM — SNAPSHOT WORKSHEET - RED FLAG INDICATORS

**Local Participating Jurisdictions with Rental Production Activities** 

Participating Jurisdiction (PJ): Lowell State: MA Group Rank: 75 (Percentile)

State Rank: 8 19 PJs Overall Rank: 78 (Percentile)

Summary: 0 Of the 5 Indicators are Red Flags

FACTOR	DESCRIPTION	THRESHOLD*	PJ RESULTS	RED FLAG
4	% OF COMPLETED RENTAL DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL RENTAL COMMITMENTS	< 77.87%	98.21	
5	% OF COMPLETED CHDO DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CHDO RESERVATIONS	< 53.90%	90.02	
6	% OF RENTERS BELOW 50% OF AREA MEDIAN INCOMF	< 70%**	89.43	
8	% OF OCCUPIED RENTAL UNITS TO ALL RENTAL UNITS	< 92.09%	98.19	
"ALLOCATION-Y	/EARS" NOT DISBURSED***	> 2.415	0.66	

<sup>\*</sup> This Threshold indicates approximately the lowest 20% of the PJs



<sup>\*\*</sup> This percentage may indicate a problem with meeting the 90% of rental units and TBRA provided to households at 60% AMI requirement

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Total of undisbursed HOME and ADDI funds through FY 2005 / FY2005 HOME and ADDI allocation amount. This is not a SNAPSHOT indicator, but a good indicator of program progress.